



## Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration

DOT-SP 20362

EXPIRATION DATE: 2019-03-31

(FOR RENEWAL, SEE 49 CFR 107.109)

1. GRANTEE: Gresco, Inc.

Mangilao, Guam

# 2. PURPOSE AND LIMITATIONS:

- a. This special permit authorizes the use of certain non-DOT specification cylinders in Guam for the transportation in commerce of the materials authorized by this special permit. This special permit provides no relief from the Hazardous Materials Regulations (HMR) other than as specifically stated herein. The most recent revision supersedes all previous revisions.
- b. The safety analyses performed in development of this special permit only considered the hazards and risks associated with transportation in commerce. The safety analyses did not consider the hazards and risks associated with consumer use, use as a component of a transport vehicle or other device, or other uses not associated with transportation in commerce.
- c. No party status will be granted to this special permit.
- 3. REGULATORY SYSTEM AFFECTED: 49 CFR Parts 106, 107 and 171-180.
- 4. REGULATIONS FROM WHICH EXEMPTED: 49 CFR § 173.304(a) in that non-DOT specification cylinders are not authorized, except as specified herein.

- 5. BASIS: This special permit is based on the application of Gresco, Inc. submitted October 25, 2016, submitted in accordance with \$ 107.105 and the public proceeding thereon.
- 6. HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (49 CFR 172.101):

Hazardous Material Description			
Proper Shipping Name	Hazard Class/ Division	Identi- fication Number	Packing Group
Petroleum gases, liquefied <i>or</i> Liquefied petroleum gas	2.1	UN1075	N/A

# 7. SAFETY CONTROL MEASURES:

- a. <u>PACKAGING</u> Packagings prescribed are non-DOT specification welded steel cylinders, which are similar to specification DOT 4BW (49 CFR § 178.61) cylinders, manufactured by FSC Metal Corporation in Valenzuela City, Philippines for Gresco, Inc. use in Guam:
  - (1) Two cylinder models of 50-lbs and 100-lbs LPG capacity are authorized under the terms of this special permit.
  - (2) The cylinders have a maximum service pressure of 270 psig.
  - (3) The design, manufacturing and testing information for these models is on file with the Office of Hazardous Materials Safety Approvals and Permits Division (OHMSAPD).
  - (4) A total of 1,344 50-lb and 366 100-lb LPG cylinders with the serial numbers listed in the attached Appendices A and B are authorized under the terms of this special permit.
- b. REQUALIFICATION Each cylinder must be requalified every five (5) years by the proof pressure test at two times the marked service pressure and visually inspected in accordance with 49 CFR \$ 180.209 as applies to specification DOT 4BW cylinders. The person performing requalification

under this paragraph must hold a current Requalifier Identification Number (RIN). The requalification markings must be in accordance with § 180.213.

#### c. OPERATIONAL CONTROLS

- (1) The existing un-authorized DOT 4BW markings on the cylinders must be removed by any suitable method such as by placing a series of X's over the existing marking. "DOT-SP 20362" must be marked on each cylinder next to where the un-authorized DOT 4BW marking had been located. The marking "DOT Approved" on the handle bar must also be removed by any suitable method.
- (2) The existing serial numbers used on the 100-lb cylinder model are also repeated on the 50-lb model. This must be corrected since each serial number must be unique to each cylinder. Each cylinder must have a model identifier suffix added at the end of the serial number presently stamped: "-1" for the 50-lb and "-2" for the 100-lb model. For example, the currently stamped serial number AL-00248 for the 50-lb model must be modified to AL 00284-1 while the 100-lb model with the same serial number must be modified to AL 00284-2.
- (3) The cylinders may be used, filled and requalified only in the territory of Guam.

### 8. SPECIAL PROVISIONS:

- a. A person who is not a holder of this special permit, but receives a package covered by this special permit, may reoffer it for transportation provided no modification or change is made to the package and it is offered for transportation in conformance with this special permit and the HMR.
- b. A current copy of this special permit must be maintained at each facility where the package is offered or reoffered for transportation.
- 9. MODES OF TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED: Motor vehicle.
- 10. MODAL REQUIREMENTS: A current copy of this special permit must be carried aboard each motor vehicle used to transport packages covered by this special permit.

- 11. <u>COMPLIANCE</u>: Failure by a person to comply with any of the following may result in suspension or revocation of this special permit and penalties prescribed by the Federal hazardous materials transportation law, 49 U.S.C. 5101 <u>et seq:</u>
  - o All terms and conditions prescribed in this special permit and the Hazardous Materials Regulations, 49 CFR Parts 171-180.
  - o Persons operating under the terms of this special permit must comply with the security plan requirement in Subpart I of Part 172 of the HMR, when applicable.
  - o Registration required by  $$107.601 \text{ } \underline{\text{et seq.}},$ when applicable.}$

Each "Hazmat employee", as defined in § 171.8, who performs a function subject to this special permit must receive training on the requirements and conditions of this special permit in addition to the training required by §§ 172.700 through 172.704.

No person may use or apply this special permit, including display of its number, when this special permit has expired or is otherwise no longer in effect.

Under Title VII of the Safe, Accountable, Flexible, Efficient Transportation Equity Act: A Legacy for Users (SAFETEA-LU)— "The Hazardous Materials Safety and Security Reauthorization Act of 2005" (Pub. L. 109-59), 119 Stat. 1144 (August 10, 2005), amended the Federal hazardous materials transportation law by changing the term "exemption" to "special permit" and authorizes a special permit to be granted up to two years for new special permits and up to four years for renewals.

12. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS: Shipments or operations conducted under this special permit are subject to the Hazardous Materials Incident Reporting requirements specified in 49 CFR §§ 171.15 - Immediate notice of certain hazardous materials incidents, and 171.16 - Detailed hazardous materials incident reports. In addition, the grantee(s) of

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this special permit must notify the Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, in writing, of any incident involving a package, shipment or operation conducted under terms of this special permit.

Issued in Washington, D.C.:

for William Schoonover

Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety

Address all inquiries to: Associate Administrator for Hazardous Materials Safety, Pipeline and Hazardous Materials Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation, East Building PHH-30, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, Southeast, Washington, D.C. 20590.

Copies of this special permit may be obtained by accessing the Hazardous Materials Safety Homepage at <a href="http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp app/special permits/spec perm index.htm">http://hazmat.dot.gov/sp app/special permits/spec perm index.htm</a>
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Attachments: Appendices A and B